

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. **(Currently Amended)** A content transmission device for use with, and to be connected with, a content receiving device over a network, said content transmission device comprising:
- a storage unit ~~configured to store~~ storing content;
 - a transmission unit ~~configured to transmit~~ transmitting content to the content receiving device;
 - a receiving unit receiving a response message from the content receiving device, or receiving a signal of a status of the content receiving device;
 - a status monitoring unit determining that viewing and/or listening of content using the content receiving device has been interrupted when the receiving unit does not receive the response message within a predetermined time or when the signal of the status of the content receiving device indicates interruption of content reception;
 - an interruption location memory unit storing an interruption location of content when said status monitoring unit has determined that the viewing and/or listening of content has been interrupted; and
 - ~~an interruption location capturing unit configured to monitor and capture an interruption location at which the content receiving device becomes unable to receive content, or an interruption location at which viewing and/or listening of content using the content receiving device has been interrupted;~~
 - a transmission controlling unit ~~configured to control~~ controlling said transmission unit so as to transmit content in said storage unit to the content receiving device that corresponds to the interruption location stored in said interruption location memory unit ~~captured by said interruption location capturing unit.~~

2. **(Currently Amended)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 1, wherein said ~~interruption location capturing unit further comprises a status monitoring unit configured to receive and monitor the status of the content received by the content receiving~~

device, and capturing captures the interruption location based on the reception by said receiving unit the status.

3. **(Currently Amended)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 21, wherein said receiving unit ~~said status monitoring unit~~ receives, as the signal of the status of the content receiving device, a notification that reception of content has become impossible from the content receiving device, and captures the interruption location based on the notification.

said status monitoring unit determines that the viewing and/or listening of content has been interrupted based on said notification.

4. **(Currently Amended)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 12, wherein the response message from the content receiving device includes ~~said status monitoring unit detects that~~ an error rate of communication with the content receiving device, ~~has exceeded a predetermined value, and captures the interruption location based on the detection results.~~

said status monitoring unit further detects that the error rate has exceeded a predetermined value, and determines that the viewing and/or listening of content has been interrupted based on those detection results.

5. **(Currently Amended)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 12, wherein said status monitoring unit detects that communication between said content transmission device and the content receiving device has been cut off, and captures the interruption location based on the detection results.

6. **(Currently Amended)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 1, wherein said status monitoring unit ~~interruption location capturing unit~~ captures the interruption location based on a time at which the content receiving device becomes unable to receive content or a time at which the viewing and/or listening of content using the content receiving device has been interrupted.

7. **(Currently Amended)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 1, wherein the content comprises a plurality of chapters, and said status monitoring unit ~~interruption location capturing unit~~ captures the interruption location in chapter units.

8. **(Previously Presented)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 1, wherein said transmission controlling unit controls said transmission unit so as to transmit content starting from the interruption location to the content receiving device.

9. **(Previously Presented)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 1, wherein said transmission controlling unit further controls said transmission unit so as to transmit content to the content receiving device starting from a predetermined location and by a predetermined amount before the interruption location.

10. **(Currently Amended)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 1, wherein said content comprises a plurality of chapters;
said status monitoring unit ~~interruption location capturing unit~~ captures as the interruption location the chapter including a location at which the content receiving device becomes unable to receive content, or the location at which the viewing and/or listening of content using the content receiving device has been interrupted; and

said transmission controlling unit controls said transmission unit so as to transmit content to the content receiving device starting from the beginning of the chapter captured by said interruption location capturing unit ~~interruption location capturing unit~~.

11-12. **(Canceled)**

13. **(Previously Presented)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 1, wherein said memory controlling unit performs control so that said transmission unit transmits

content to the content receiving device based on said interruption location, while said storage unit stores content received by said receiving unit.

14. **(Currently Amended)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 12, wherein said status monitoring unit notifies said transmission controlling unit of detection results upon detecting that the content receiving device unit has become able to receive or play back content; and

said transmission controlling unit controls said transmission unit so as to transmit content of said storage unit to the content receiving device based on said detection results.

15. **(Currently Amended)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 12, wherein said status monitoring unit further unit, upon receiving a request for transmission starting from the interruption location from the content receiving device, notifies said transmission controlling unit of the transmission request; and

said transmission controlling unit controls said transmission unit so as to transmit the content in said storage unit to the content receiving device based on the notification of said transmission request.

16. **(Canceled)**

17. **(Currently Amended)** A content transmission device for use with, and to be connected with a content receiving device over a network, comprising:

a storage unit ~~configured to store~~ storing content;

a transmission unit ~~configured to transmit~~ transmitting content to the content receiving device;

an interruption location capturing unit ~~configured to capture~~ capturing an interruption location at which the content receiving device becomes unable to receive content, or an

interruption location at which viewing and/or listening of the content using the content receiving device has been interrupted; and

a transmission controlling unit ~~configured to control~~ controlling said transmission unit so as to transmit content in said storage unit to the content receiving device based on the interruption location captured by said interruption location capturing unit,

wherein said interruption location capturing unit captures the interruption reason for which the content receiving device became unable to receive content, or the interruption reason for which the viewing and/or listening of content using the content receiving device has been interrupted ; and

said interruption reason is that a communication status of the content receiving device is worsening, an incoming call has been received by the content receiving device, a user of the content receiving device is driving, or an operation of the content receiving device is paused; and

said transmission controlling unit determines the predetermined distance to retrace from the interruption location according to said interruption reason, and controls said transmission unit to transmit content starting from the predetermined distance determined to the content receiving device.

18. **(Currently Amended)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 1, further comprising:

a receiving unit ~~configured to receive~~ receiving content from an exterior system or device; and

a memory controlling unit ~~configured to control~~ controlling the storage of content such that the content received by said receiving unit is stored ~~in said storage~~ in said storage unit starting from the interruption location stored in ~~captured by~~ said interruption location memory ~~capturing~~ unit.

19. **(Currently Amended)** The content transmission device recited in Claim 1, wherein said status monitoring unit ~~interruption location capturing unit~~ further captures the

interruption reason for which the content receiving device becomes unable to receive content, or the interruption reason for which the viewing and/or listening of content using the content receiving device has been interrupted; and

said transmission controlling unit determines the predetermined distance to retrace from the interruption location according to said interruption reason, and controls said transmission unit to transmit content starting from the predetermined distance determined to the content receiving device.